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## **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 9 of the specification with the following:

"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING WRITE PRE-COMPENSATION

USING A READ TIMING PATH" to Musungu et al., having serial number 10/787,308.